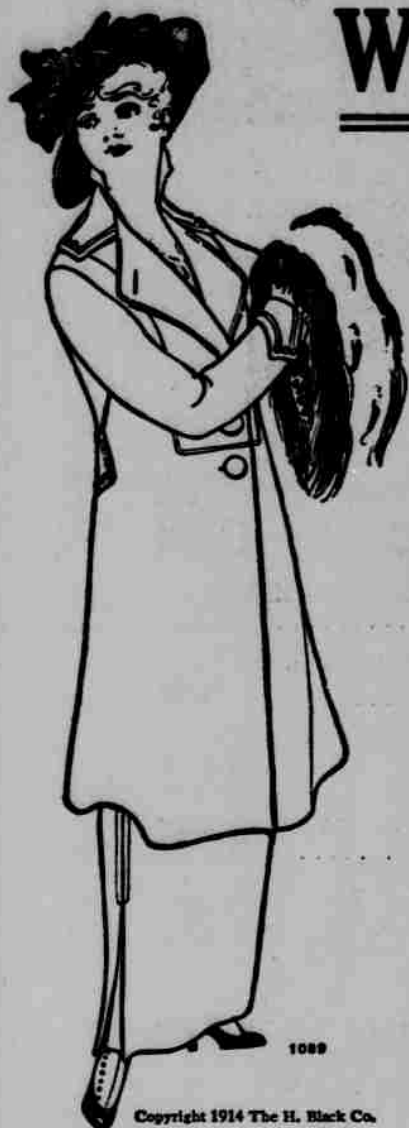


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TELLS OF CRIME

California Murderer of Little Girl Confesses His Guilt.

After Hiding Body He Went to a "Movie."

Sacramento, Cal., Dec. 8.—David Fountain, sexton of the German Evangelical Lutheran church, confessed to District Attorney Eugene Wachhorst Monday night the details of how he violated and strangled 10-year-old Margaret Milling in the basement of the church last Saturday afternoon. For brutality and cunning and strange features this crime out-rides the Theodore Durant murders in the Baptist church of San Francisco twenty years ago.

Margaret Milling was attacked in the music room of the church basement just back of the Sunday school room, as she was seated near the piano. She was carried, dying or dead, into the church belfry, along narrow rafters where no one but a human ape of enormous strength and agility could crawl, back into the deep recesses of the rafters in the rear of the church and there the deed was finished.

Bloodstains were found in the place in the rafters where the body lay, also a little doll's dress of blue calico where the girl had dropped it. Fountain led the officers to the place, and they found that all had been done as the janitor had confessed.

Claims No Recollection. Fountain claims to have no recollection of the actual murder by strangulation. All he remembers, he says, is that the girl came into the church basement by the street door. He was not expecting her. He had not lured her there.

PLEA FOR LOYALTY

Raising of Lazarus, Text for Marechale Last Night.

Big Crowd Hears the Brilliant Mission Revivals.

A large crowd last night at the First Methodist church was held spellbound by the plea of Mrs. Catherine Booth-Clibborn for loyalty. Her text was from the story of the raising of Lazarus: "Even Now." She said that she was not going to preach, that she only intended to tell a simple story and for the benefit of people with faith and for those with no faith.

"A man should strive for the consciousness of God in his life," she said. "If God be for us who can be against us? Jesus Christ came to be with men in his day and in ours. Religion today is the same as then; it is for the same sort of people. People have the heartache now as then. How many times I have seen it in my own work in France, Belgium and Holland and Italy."

"Christianity spells heroism. It costs something. The greatest blessings of life come only from the paying of a price. If you are willing to pay the price along any line of activity there will come the consciousness of a great victory soon or later."

"Our lives are barren in things spiritual because we are not willing to pay the price. Do we believe this? Have we faith for the crises of life? What a test was this experience of death to the sisters of Lazarus! What a faith message is this! If thou wouldst believe thou shouldst see the glory of God." It was spoken by the tomb for that occasion and for all time; for you and for me. It is a message for everyone of us.

By beautiful illustration, by dramatic gesture, and by pathetic appeal the Marechale set forth her truth. She is undoubtedly one of the ablest women speakers ever heard in the Topeka pulpit. Tonight she speaks on "Miracles I Have Seen."

Chicago, Ill., Dec. 8.—The Chicago club of the Federal league has more native sons on its roster than any other professional league club, according to a statement today by Charles H. Weeghman, president of the club.

Nine of the players, not including Joseph Tinker, manager, who has lived here for years, were reared in Chicago. All of them were members of the club last season. They are Johnny Farrell, Tom McGuire, Al Wickland, Max Fisk, Dave Black, C. L. Clemons, Joe Stanley, Austin Walsh and Ervin Lange.

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ADD 200 STOCKS

New York Exchange Will Permit More Trading.

Germans Prepare to Unload Their American Securities.

RAILROAD HOLDINGS BARRED

U. S. Steel and Anaconda Copper on Prohibited List.

No Bank Disturbances Expected by Increased Activities.

(By B. O. Forbes.)

New York, Dec. 8.—The New York Stock Exchange will re-open on Saturday for restricted dealings in some 200 stocks, after the lapse of 19 weeks, by far the longest period of idleness the institution has ever known.

American securities have suffered so little in price in comparison with European issues that foreign holders naturally want to take advantage of our soundness to raise money through selling on our market.

To keep overseas liquidation within bounds, especially as the London stock exchange is still closed and cannot therefore be used by needy investors, the governors of the New York exchange have decided to impose certain restrictions upon dealings.

Railroad Stocks Barred.

The list of stocks to be admitted to the floor does not contain such railroad issues as Union Pacific, Canadian Pacific, New York Central, Baltimore and Ohio, Illinois Central, Delaware and Hudson and Chesapeake and Ohio, all of which are partly owned abroad.

Among the industrial absences from the list are U. S. Steel, Anaconda Copper, American Locomotive, Colorado Fuel, Virginia-Carolina Chemical and United Dry Goods. No sales of these stocks will be permitted on the floor, and any transactions brokers may desire to make privately must first be submitted to the exchange authorities for approval or disapproval.

Then all dealings must be "for cash or regular way only."

This means that stocks sold one day must be paid for at once on the following day. No New York broker can, therefore, arrange to sell stocks held abroad on the understanding that no actual delivery will be made for ten or twenty days.

He must, if he accepts a foreign selling order, borrow or otherwise obtain the amount of certificates sold. The supply of such certificates as Canadian Pacific and U. S. Steel available for borrowers is at present very limited.

"Short selling" will also be affected as only such stocks as can be actually delivered the day following the sale will come within the operations of "short" selling.

However, it was clear Monday that the Germans hope to unload American securities held in their hands, and to make advance in the value of their securities.

The New York stock exchange authorities will not be helpless, however, should German, French, British or Dutch investors attempt to swamp our market. Dealings are to be restricted in all but the lowest priced stocks—those under \$15 per share, to quotations which the governors will name as the minimum.

By refusing to lower the price at which sales can be made, the liquidation will be automatically stopped as soon as the demand at the fixed price has been filled.

Thus the partial resumption of business on the exchange should be attended by no unfortunate consequences. Rather it is calculated to stimulate cheerfulness and confidence not only in all street, but in financial and business circles all over the country.

No Bank Disturbances.

As stocks worth only \$15 or less are not usually accepted as collateral for loans from banks, the removal of all restrictions from trading in the issues will involve no banking disturbances.

The list of such stocks follows: All American American Hide and Leather, American Linseed, American Woolen, Chicago and Great Western, Corn Products, Denver and Rio Grande, Distillers, Federal Mining and Smelting, Interborough Metropolitan, International Paper, Missouri, Kansas and Texas common, Missouri Pacific, National Railways of Mexico, second pfd., Nevada Consolidated, Quicksilver Mining, Rock Island common and pfd., Rumsay common, St. Louis and San Francisco, Texas and Pacific, Union Bag and Paper, United States Cast Iron Pipe and Western Maryland.

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ARE YOU HUNGRY?

Well, It's All Imagination if You Are.

Chicago Doctor Says Starving Is a Painless Death.

Chicago, Dec. 8.—There are many ways of stopping the pangs of hunger without the use of food. Chew gum, hold a stick in the mouth, work so hard you forget all about hunger or, best of all, get scared within an inch of your life and you won't want food for ever so long. Swallowing a small balloon and pulling it up again by a string also helps.

Dr. A. J. Carlson, assistant professor of physiology at the University of Chicago, told all about it in a lecture before the National Academy of Sciences in the assembly room of the Botany building. And Dr. Carlson knows for he has not only made a subject swallow an electric light and watched the processes of digestion, but he has experimented quite as ruthlessly on himself and his assistant and both of them have gone five days without food just to see how it feels.

"There is really very little pain about starving," said Dr. Carlson. "The pangs of hunger are caused by the contractions of the upper portion of the stomach and these contractions are largely psychic—and under control of the mind. Anything that will take the mind off the fact that you have gone so long without food will lessen the contractions."

Real Black Fasting. "My assistant and I both went without food for five days in the course of our experiments. We suffered very little for we kept our minds on our work and went about just as usual."

"I should say that death by starvation, if one could keep one's mind occupied, would be about as nearly a painless death as one can hope to have."

Dr. Carlson measures the force, frequency and character of the contractions of the stomach with a little instrument called a manometer. The method of procedure is to connect the manometer with a small balloon well inflated with air, swallow the balloon through the connecting tube to hang gracefully down inside the throat like macaroni hung up to dry. Then the stomach is deceived into thinking it has food at last, begins to work on the balloon and the manometer records what it does to that balloon.

UNCLE JOE IS BLUE.

The Old House Car Shows Little Interest in Congress.

Chicago, Ill., Dec. 8.—Though congress convened yesterday, "Uncle Joe" Cannon was not there. Instead he was at the Union League club suffering from a bad case of "psychological depression" as he does not take office until March 4.

"What's the use of talking about the war?" he said to a would-be interviewer. "They are on the job in Washington. What's the use of talking about that? What's the use of anything?" he demanded.

GET UMPIRES NOW.

Feds Are Coaxing the Indicator Men to Jump, Too.

Chicago, Dec. 8.—Umpires appeared to have full sway in the Federal headquarters Monday afternoon. Fred Westervelt, formerly of the American association, and W. J. Fineran, last season in the International league, were among those present. Gilmore announced having signed both of

them to handle the indicators in the Federal circuit during 1915.

Brennan and McCormick of last season's staff were also on hand. They have been retained. Harry Howell, the old St. Louis pitcher who was one of baseball's shining stars during his twining days, was also in the Federal office. Howell has been umpiring down in the Texas league for the past three years and they say he is an efficient man with the indicator.

The chances are that he will be given a Federal league berth. Harry Stout of Milwaukee, the fight referee, has also been signed by the Federals.

HE IS SOME SMACKER

Millionaire Kisses a Widow All Over Three Different Apartments.

San Francisco, Cal., Dec. 8.—George F. Belden, vice president of the General Electric company, millionaire and former Cincinnati, O., business man, is some smacker, according to testimony given by Mrs. Nellie Clark, maid servant, in the superior court here Monday.

Belden is the defendant in divorce proceedings brought by Mrs. Belden on grounds of extreme cruelty, the chief item of which is his alleged friendship for Mrs. Martha Clarke, a Los Angeles widow.

According to Mrs. Clark, the maid servant, who was employed in the Chamouny apartments, Los Angeles, while Belden and Mrs. Clarke, the widow, were stopping there, the couple were frequently seen in loving attitudes. Asked by Mrs. Belden's attorney if she had ever seen them kiss, she replied:

"Yes, sure. They were kissing in apartments No. 1, No. 6 and No. 10. When you couldn't see them you could hear them."

According to detectives who shadowed Belden and Mrs. Clarke in this city, the couple spent considerable time in each other's society.

A NEW WHITE HOPE OUT

Jim Elliott of St. Paul Lands Knock-out in First Round.

New York, Dec. 8.—Jim Elliott, 6 feet 3 inches tall, weighing 200 pounds and hailing from St. Paul, with Mike Gibson's endorsement as "The most likely white hope in America today" made his New York debut Monday by knocking out Joe Woods in the first round of a scheduled ten round bout at the Olympia. A. C. Elliott knocked Woods down four times. The Minnesota lumberjack, outweighed his opponent by fifteen pounds.

Chip and Buns Draw.

Butte, Mont., Dec. 8.—George Chip of Pittsburgh and Leo Buns of Butte fought 12 rounds to a draw here Monday night.

STOCKING WAKARUSA.

Prof. L. L. Dyche Unloads Carload From State Fish Hatcheries.

A carload of young fish, bass, channel cat and crappie, with perhaps a few other varieties, have just been unloaded into Wakarusa creek at Wakarusa by Prof. L. L. Dyche, state fish and game warden, who delivered the youngsters from the state fish hatcheries at Pratt. It was the twenty-ninth load delivered from the hatcheries this fall and the car has gone back for another load.

The young bass which make up the bulk of the recent consignment are husky young fellows averaging around six inches in length and, if they pursue their customary activities, will eat up most of the crappie and quite a number of each other before they ever fall prey to the hooks of fishermen who frequent the wooded banks of the Wakarusa in fishing season.

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If you cannot buy Red Cross Seals in your town, write to American Red Cross, Washington, D. C., for a list of places to buy them.



A BREWER WANTS 'EM

Deal Is on to Sell New York Club of American League.

New York, Dec. 8.—Jacob Ruppert, New York brewer, is negotiating with William S. Devery and Frank Farrell for the purchase of the New York American League baseball club. The price wanted by Devery and Farrell is \$250,000.

The deal has not yet been closed, but San Johnson, president of the American League, is endeavoring to put it through.

Irate Boarder—"I thought you told me I could sleep under blankets here of nights!" Unperturbed Farmer—"If you don't want to, and you get the blankets, you can sleep under them."

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